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113 Main Avenue, Marshfield, Ore.

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Coos Bay  
Farmers Exchange  
Central Avenue and Waterfront.  
Phone 370

Only 17 more days  
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The Parisian  
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When placing your order for Lard from your grocer ask for

EXTRA KETTLE RENDERED PALACE MARKET  
PURE LARD

Accept no other. It's the best and made in your home city. It sells for 80 cents for a 5-pound bucket. Pay no more.

SOME NICE FRYERS FOR SATURDAY

Palace Meat Market  
N. D. Oswald

Now is the time to get your suit  
made for Christmas. Bring in  
your order now and you will get a suit at  
a reasonable price, either ladies' or men's  
suits.

See

J. V. Koski

75 Market Ave.

Marshfield, Oregon

GRAVEL

We are now prepared to furnish GRAVEL in any quantities from pile in our yard or in carload lots, at following prices:

From pile on ground, \$2.95 per yard.  
Cartload lots, taken from cars, \$2.00 per yard.

Retail Department.

C. A. Smith Lumber & Mfg. Co.  
Opposite Post-Office. Phone 190.

Noble Theater  
TO-NIGHT

Henry Walthel in Essanay's three act feature  
"THE WOMAN HATER"

A comedy that hits the highest mark of perfection—Walthel is the actor that takes the leading role in D. W. Griffith's "Birth of a Nation."

Snakeville's Medic Western Comedy with Slippery Slim.  
Ford Weekly News that will satisfy everyone.  
Paramount Travel Series. The South American pictures.  
"THE MASTER OF THE BENGALS" Selig wild animal Zoo pictures.

SEVEN REELS ALL NEW

Lower Floor 15c Children 5c Balcony 10c

COMING TUESDAY—"THE ETERNAL CITY" in nine reels.  
Special music by Big Orchestras. Afternoon and evening One show in the afternoon starting promptly at 2:30. Two shows in the evening 7:00 and 9:00 p. m.

LOCAL BREVITIES

DECEMBER TIDES  
Time and heights of tides at Marshfield. The tides are placed in order of occurrence, with their times on the first line and heights on the second line of each day. A comparison of consecutive heights will indicate whether it is high or low water. High tide on the bar one hour and 54 minutes earlier than at Marshfield.

Table with 4 columns: Hrs., Ft., Hrs., Ft. showing tide times and heights for various days.

WEATHER FORECAST

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
OREGON—Rain west, rain or snow East, warmer tonight south and east, increasing southerly winds.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE RECORD

For the 24 hours ending at 4:43 a. m., December 10, by Benj. Ostlund, special government meteorologist:  
Maximum 52  
Minimum 36  
At 4:43 a. m. 38  
Precipitation .03  
Precipitation since Sept. 1, 1915 26.90  
Precipitation same period last year 30.99  
Wind: Southwest, cloudy.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Friday  
December 10.—Sun rises at 7:42 and sets at 4:26.

Will Give Banquet.—The members of the Coos County Bar Association will give a banquet at Bandon on the evening of Dec. 29.

Funeral Tomorrow.—The funeral of Mrs. Julia Durand will be held tomorrow at 1 p. m. from the Wilson Undertaking Parlors.

Episcopal Service.—The Rev. Robt. E. Browning will conduct the regular service at the Marshfield Episcopal Church Sunday.

Sale Tomorrow Night.—The Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will hold a bazaar tomorrow night in the church chapel.

Story Hour To-Morrow.—Mrs. D. E. Maloney will tell the children about Xmas customs of different countries tomorrow morning between 10 and 11 at the public library.

After Snipe.—H. J. McKeown and V. G. Hindmarsh left this morning for Gardiner. They made the trip up the coast in the latter's car and expect to bring back their hunting bags filled with snipe.

Advertisement for Interwoven Socks featuring an illustration of a woman's legs and feet wearing socks.

HAPPY THOUGHT  
A CHRISTMAS BOX  
of famous wear-proof

Interwoven  
Socks

Will Please Him  
Silk, or Lisle, packed in  
a special gift box \$1.00

Woolen Mill  
Store

ARTHUR HANSON DIES  
LATE THIS AFTERNOON

Arthur Hanson, aged 25 years, died at 3 p. m. today at Mercy hospital. He had submitted to a surgical operation for appendicitis yesterday. The young man had been employed in the C. A. Smith mill where his brother also works.

Choir Rehearsal.—There will be a special rehearsal of the choral club this evening at the conservatory, which will be the last one before the concert Sunday afternoon.

Out For the Job.—N. E. Daggett of Allegany is circulating a petition asking for the appointment as supervisor of the new road district at Allegany which takes in three of the former districts.

Basketball Tonight.—There is to be a game of basket ball this evening between the North Bend high school five and an alumni team in Simpson pavilion. This will be the first game of the season.

North Bend Supper.—The Ladies Aid of the North Bend Methodist church will serve a supper to the public tomorrow evening in the Wiseman and Martin building. There will also be held in connection a sale of fancy articles.

Boarders Garnisheed.—Constable Cox today garnisheed three boarders of Hilma Ahlquist, of Bunker Hill, for \$62.05 claimed to be due the W. H. Dindinger company for goods purchased.

Appear Wednesday.—Pupils of Miss Edna Louise Larsen, Henrik Gjerdrum and Gerald Hunt will appear in concert Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the conservatory. All members of the conservatory are invited to attend.

Boy Breaks Arm.—While the little nine year old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Harris was playing about the school yesterday he broke his arm just above the wrist. The break was a painful one and the youngster will have his arm in a sling for some time to come.

Says Boat Stolen.—James J. Pierce came before Judge Penneck this afternoon claiming that a row boat had been stolen from him and later sold to a man on Isthmus Inlet. He asks for a writ of replevin which probably will be issued tomorrow. He found the boat, after months searching.

No More Diphtheria.—There are no more cases of diphtheria in Bunker Hill. The sign was taken down a few days ago from the home of Capt. Ludwig Christenson. One of his daughters took sick with diphtheria about 10 days before that and the home was quarantined.

Remodeling Going On.—Workmen are busy in the remodeling of the Lloyd Hotel and before the work is completed extensive improvements will have been done. Today some new plumbing was being put into the building and the floors of the first story have been taken up.

Auto Has a Kick.—When Andrew Erickson attempted to crank the machine that he drives, the handle flew back and broke his arm. Erickson then went down on the list as the sixth man, it is said, who has suffered in this same way from this same machine. Today he is carrying the injured member in a sling and probably will for many days to come.

We Have Timely Mention.—In the December copy of the Mt. Angel Magazine, published by the Benedictine Fathers at Mt. Angel, several pages are devoted to Coos Bay and its tributary resources. A short time ago a representative of the magazine visited Coos Bay to secure first hand information regarding this territory. North Bend, Marshfield and Bandon, as the seaport cities, are given very accurate write-ups and space is also given to telling of the bar, the channel and the lumber and manufacturing resources of Coos county.

Advertisement for Christmas Gifts featuring a list of items like hand-painted china, leather goods, and fancy stationery.

PERSONAL MENTION

RAY BRYANT left this morning for the Valley on a short trip.

V. D. ADAMS, of Templeton, came down on the Messenger today to do some shopping.

JOHN STEINLECHNER was in this morning on business from his farm at Templeton.

DORSEY KREITZER left today for Coquille Valley points on business.

MRS. GEORGE SANFORD was here today shopping from Haynes Inlet.

WALTER PETERSON was down on business this morning from his home at Templeton.

MRS. J. T. DAVIS, of Templeton, was here today on a short business trip.

H. MONAHAN, of Powers, was down today looking after some business matters.

SUPERVISOR F. A. GOLDEN left this morning for Coquille to look after some school matters.

H. J. KIMBALL returned this afternoon from Gardiner where he accompanied his wife this morning en route to Portland.

C. R. WRIGHT, government engineer at Bandon, and Verlin Parker came over last evening from the city-by-the-sea and the morning left on the Empire stage for the lower bay where they have some government work to attend to.

JUDGE JOHN S. COKE went over to the circuit court at Coquille this morning to set the court docket for Monday and also to admit several aliens to citizenship in these United States.

MR. AND MRS. COLLIER BUFFINGTON left on the morning train for Gold Beach, returning home after their honeymoon to Portland. They will make their future home in Gold Beach where Mr. Buffington has a law practice.

DR. PHIL KEISER, of North Bend, returned this morning on the Messenger from Templeton where he went yesterday to administer treatment to Mr. Wise. The old gentleman is more than 80 years of age and is quite feeble.

MRS. H. J. KIMBALL Jr. and daughter, Miss Georgia Zimmer, left overland this morning for Portland where they will spend the Christmas holidays. Mr. Kimball and Earl Zimmer will join them about Dec. 20 for Christmas and will then return to the Bay. Mrs. Kimball and Miss Zimmer going to California for the winter.

AT THE HOTELS

Chandler Hotel  
S. C. White, Portland; J. Pearson, Powers; Mrs. Maggie Stewart, North Dakota; Mrs. J. H. McCloskey, Norway; Verlin Parker, Bandon; C. R. Wright, Bandon; E. J. Oslier, San Francisco; E. D. Doran, Portland; W. G. Eggleston, San Francisco; Eugene Weiss, Santa Rosa, Cal.; N. Bicknell, Portland; Oscar W. Horne, Portland; Sol Israel, Portland; C. E. Stone, Chicago; J. C. Gleason, San Francisco; B. W. Charlesworth, Bandon.

Blanco Hotel

Ed Siestrem, Lakeside; J. B. Myers, North Bend; A. S. King, Coquille; J. E. Meeker, Eugene; H. Monahan, Eugene; Fred Anderson, Powers; John Riley, Sumner; P. H. Peterson, Arago; Miss Mable King, North Bend; C. S. McCulloch, Coquille; N. E. Daggett, Allegany; Al Smith, Coos River; George Kruse, Sumner.

St. Lawrence Hotel

J. F. Emmerson, Graveyard; L. A. Carsten, Roseburg; John R. Smith, South Inlet; Charles Swanson and wife, Coos River; Mrs. Young, Lakeside; W. H. Dancer, Myrtle Point; R. W. Middleton, Coos River.

EUGENE USED BOATS  
HALF CENTURY AGO

Recent Rains Recall Early Day  
Floods in the Willamette Valley Cities

Floods in the early days are recalled by the recent rains according to the Eugene Register which prints the following:  
"Fifty-four years ago today there was a foot and a half of water on the business streets of Eugene and boats were used by many, according to old residents of the city. This was the date of the greatest flood in the history of the valley, and the Willamette river and its tributaries in this part of the state were so badly swollen that there was almost a continuous lake of water several miles wide in some parts of the county."

Christmas Presents & Useful Things

Advertisement for J.C. Penney Co. featuring a list of Christmas gifts and their prices, such as bed spreads, silk hose, and neckties.

Advertisement for Gettings Cash Grocery featuring a new holiday price list and the slogan "WE SAVE YOU MONEY".

Advertisement for Sheriff Picks Up Unfortunate Man, detailing a case of a man found wandering in Douglas County.

Advertisement for Among the Sick, mentioning John Dushney and Will Give Dance.

Advertisement for Classified Ads, featuring a large graphic of a book and the text "NEW TODAY".

Advertisement for Wanted—Experienced girl for general housework.

Advertisement for For Rent—6-room house, also furnished, all modern.

Advertisement for Drain Boy Has Wonderful Cow, describing a cow named Molly.

Advertisement for Ferguson Transfer, located at 163 Residence Phone 18-J.

Advertisement for Have the Roof Fixed Now, with contact information for See Cortell.

Advertisement for Weaving—All kinds a specialty, Mrs. W. W. Nason.

Advertisement for Fare Ten Cents, listing bus routes and fares between Marshfield and Bandon.